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SUPPLEMENTAL EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

2. The application has been amended as follows:

In Claim 22(Patent Claim 7),

on line 1: change "20" to --19--.

3. Claims 4-6, 8, 10, 13-15, 17, 20-21, 23-24 and 26 were previously cancelled.

4. Claims 1-3, 7, 9, 11-12, 16, 18-19, 22, 25 and 27 are allowed.

5. The amendment to claim 22 was made to correct the dependency of such claim due to the Examiner's amendment of 7-21-08. The claim from which claim 22 previously depended from itself depended from claim 19. Therefore, the claim 22 has been amended to so depend.

6. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Karin M. Reichle whose telephone number is (571) 272-4936. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday.

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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Tanya Zalukaeva can be reached on (571) 272-1115. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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